Social Studies, Grade 3 Unit III: Lesson A2

Charts: Jobs for Men and Women



Interview grownups in your community to learn what jobs were available to men and women 50 years ago. Survey your classmates to learn what kinds of jobs their mothers and fathers have.

Create two charts--one to represent mothers, the other to represent fathers. Using bar graphs, show the different occupations and how many mothers and fathers are employed in each. Remember to include homemaking as an option.

Share your charts with your class and discuss how choices of occupations have changed in the last 50 years.